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Mr. Dean Nygard, Bureau Chief Remediation Bureau Idaho Department of Health & Welfare Division of Environmental Quality 1410 N. Hilton Boise, Idaho 83706

SUBJECT: Waste Area Group 4 Request for Extension – (EM-ER-64-00)

Dear Mr. Pierre and Mr. Nygard:

Per Section XIII, 13.2(e) of the Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order, DOE is hereby requesting an extension of twenty days for review and commenting on the draft final Record of Decision (ROD) for Operable Unit (OU) 4-13. As agreed to by the IDEQ, EPA and DOE, this time period is necessary to incorporate the validated sampling results from CFA monitoring well two.

With this extension the final ROD comments will be due to DOE by April 24, 2000, and DOE will complete incorporation of those comments by May 10, 2000.

If you have any questions or need further information please contact Carol Hathaway at 208-526-4049 or myself at 208-526-4392.

Sincerely,

Kathleen E. Hain, Director

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Environmental Restoration Division

cc: K. Rose, EPA, 1200 Sixth Avenue, Seattle, WA 98101

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